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# Florida Schools

## Deny CIA Aid

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Student government groups at Florida State University, Tallahassee, and Florida Presbyterian College, St. Petersburg, are affiliated with the National Student Association (NSA).

But unlike the national organization, the Florida institutions have received no financial support from the nation's Central Intelligence Agency, student leaders said yesterday.

CIA subsidies to the NSA, disclosed last week, have sparked a national controversy.

FSU Student Body President Larry Gonzalez, 21, said FSU rejoined the NSA last year after dropping its affiliation in 1960-61.

"WE FEEL membership in the NSA is worthwhile for the publications we receive," said the Daytona Beach senior, "but the only tangible things we receive are publications and assistance in establishing various student programs. If CIA money in any way came to our campus, it was only through the NSA publications."

Gonzalez said the NSA offers its affiliates "very good information" on student travel opportunities abroad and recently offered a grant for one year of

study in Poland.

Information on student tours in Asia also was furnished by the NSA, Gonzalez said, and was run in the FSU student newspaper.

A spokesman at Florida Presbyterian College said the student government group there voted to join the NSA last fall, but has been "an inactive affiliate" and has not participated in any NSA activities.

THE COLLEGE has received NSA publications and resource materials in planning student activities and projects.

Student government groups at the University of Florida in Gainesville, the University of Tampa, the University of South Florida in Tampa and St. Petersburg Junior College are not NSA affiliates.

Also named as a CIA-affiliated organization last week was the Pan American Foundation.

A New York Times story yesterday reported the Pan American Foundation was situated at Gainesville's University of Florida.

But the organization is not associated with the university, Irving Edelson, of the school's information services, said yesterday.

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